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SUBJECT: EASUM'S BILATERAL WITH SIERRA LEONE FOREIGN MINISTER.

1. ASSISTANT SECRETARY EASUM MET BRIEFLY SEPTEMBER 26 IN UN DELEGATE'S LOUNGE AT HIS SUGGESTION WITH GOSL FOREIGN MINISTER LUKE.

2. ALTHOUGH CORDIAL, LUKE APPEARED UNINTERESTED IN RAISING ANY PARTICULAR BILATERAL ISSUE. THERE WAS BRIEF DISCUSSION ECONOMIC PROBLEMS CREATED BY PETROLEUM PRICE INCREASES, COMMODITY SHORTAGES AND WORLDWIDE INFLATION. LUKE EXPRESSED DISTRESS AT WORSENING TERMS OF TRADE FOR LDCS, AS WELL AS INTEREST IN A PROPOSAL TO LINK PRICES OF RAW MATERIALS AND MANUFACTURED GOODS. EASUM AGREED PROVIDE READING MATERIALS ON INDEXISATION QUESTION. KISSINGER

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